

#3

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of)	BOX: PCT
)	
INGER MATTSBY-BALTZER <i>et al.</i>)	Attention: DO/EO/US
)	
Application No.: Unassigned)	Group Art Unit: Unassigned
)	
Filed: April 21, 2005)	Examiner: Unassigned
)	
For: DIAGNOSIS OF CANDIDIASIS AND)	Confirmation No.: Unassigned
CANDIDEMIA OR INVASIVE)	
CANDIDA INFECTION)	

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is a national phase filing of International Application No. PCT/SE2003/001639, filed October 21, 2003.

In accordance with the duty of disclosure as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, Applicants submit information in conformance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98.

A copy of the International Search Report dated January 20, 2004 is submitted herewith. Applicants also provide copies of the five (5) items cited in the International Search Report.

For the convenience of the Examiner, a form PTO-1449 is attached. It is requested that an Examiner-initialed copy of this form be returned to the undersigned once the above items are considered.

The examination and allowance of the Application are respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

BURNS, DOANE, SWECKER & MATHIS, L.L.P.

Date April 21, 2005

By: Benton S. Duffett, Jr.
Benton S. Duffett, Jr.
Registration No. 22,030

P.O. Box 1404
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1404
(703) 836-6620

Substitute for form 1449A/PTO & 1449B/PTO

Complete Known

**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE
STATEMENT BY APPLICANT**

(use as many sheets as necessary)

Sheet

1

of

1

Application Number

Unassigned

Filing Date

April 21, 2005

First Named Inventor

INGER MATTSBY-BALTZER *et al.*

Examiner Name

Unassigned

Attorney Docket Number

003301-228

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

Examiner Initials	Document Number	Kind Code (if known)	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Issue/Publication Date (MM-DD-YYYY)
	6,218,129		WALSH <i>et al.</i>	April 17, 2001

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

Examiner Initials	Document Number	Kind Code (if known)	Country	Date of Publication (MM-DD-YYYY)	STATUS						
					Translation	Partial Translation	Eng. Lang. Summary	Search Report	IPER	Abstract	Cited in Spec
	WO 00/52053		International	September 8, 2000							

NON-PATENT LITERATURE DOCUMENTS

Examiner Initials	Include name of the author (in CAPITAL LETTERS), title of the article (when appropriate), title of the item (book, magazine, journal, serial, symposium, catalog, etc.), date, page(s), volume-issue number(s), publisher, city and/or country where published.
	D. NAVARRO <i>et al.</i> , "Diagnosis of Systemic Candidiasis by Enzyme Immunoassay Detection of Specific Antibodies to Mycelial Phase Cell Wall and Cytoplasmic Candidal Antigens", Eur. J. Clin. Microbiol. Infect. Dis., Vol. 12, No. 11, November 1993, Pages 839 to 846.
	BOUALEM SENDID <i>et al.</i> , "New Enzyme Immunoassays for Sensitive Detection of Circulating Candida Albicans Mannan and Antimannan Antibodies: Useful Combined Test for Diagnosis of Systemic Candidiasis" Journal of Clinical Microbiology, Vol. 3, No. 5, May 1999, Pages 1510 to 1517.
	C. FAILLE <i>et al.</i> , "Evaluation of an Enzyme Immunoassay Using Neoglycolipids Constructed from Candida Albicans Oligomannosides to Define the Specificity of Anti-Mannan Antibodies", Eur. J. Clin. Microbiol. Infect. Dis., Vol. 11, No. 5, May 1992, Pages 438 to 446.

Examiner Signature

/Lakia Tongue/

Date

Considered

03/20/2008

*EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with M.P.E.P. § 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to Applicant.

ALL REFERENCES CONSIDERED EXCEPT WHERE LINED THROUGH. /L.T./